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FOREWORD

H. J. C. as we know it today is built upon a combination of ideals. These ideals are the culmination of the efforts and the contributions, the visions and the aspirations of the many students and teachers who have entered its doors, passed through its halls, and received its influences. On leaving, they have bequeathed to us the will to attain still higher standards, the desire for increased wisdom, and the enthusiasm to keep high the spirit which is H. J. C.

JANIE THORNTON
Editor

ALMA MATER

All hail to thee, oh Holmes J. C.,

Alma Mater, all hail!

Thy virtues holy, thy precepts true,

Graven on our hearts, shall never, never fail.

Thy children here, from year to year,

As we go from thy halls,

Shall honor and ever sing,

Love and peace dwell in thy sacred walls!

—JESSIE VAN OSDEL



MRS. FRANK B. BRANCH

DEDICATION

In appreciation of her careful work with us as our teacher, of her patient guidance as our sponsor, and of her wise counsel as our friend, we lovingly dedicate to MRS. FRANK BRANCH this 1953 edition of HORIZONS.



Holmes Junior College
Goodman, Mississippi

September 30, 1952

Dear Peggy,

Activities started off with a real bang here this year. As you know, it is customary for the Y Cabinet to arrive early in order to welcome the freshmen and to make them feel at home. We were all here for a meeting Saturday afternoon. Sunday they began to pile in. It was really a busy day; but Rita and Sam, our presidents, kept things going. We have made two of the freshmen members of our cabinet: Steve Smith and Ray Braswell.

The new season opened with a reception on Monday night for the new students, and honoring the silver wedding anniversary of the Lorances. The following night the ice was really broken by square dancing and "Doodlebug."

We former students hardly knew the place, for all the buildings have been renovated, and the new student center is coming along nicely. We can hardly wait until it's finished.

We have three new faculty members: Mr. Carr, basketball coach and high school principal; Mr. Wasson, band director; and Mr. Mays, head of the science department. Mrs. Wilson has returned to teach commercial work in the high school.

After registration had been completed, we found that the enrollment has increased this year. Several boys who had been here in 1950 are back: Billy Black Power, Billy McGaugh, "Red" Free, Robert Dossett and Bert Lindsey, who have been in the National Guard; and Frank Drake and Jerry Vaughn, both ex-Marines. We hear that another former student, Laurin Pepper, is a stand-out in football at Mississippi Southern.

The classes have organized now and elected officers for the year. The presidents are the following: college sophomores, Cadman Porter; freshmen, Ray Braswell; high school seniors, Roger Courts; juniors, Kathleen Arrington and sophomores, Katherine Branch.

The BSU is lucky to have Jean Faulkner as secretary this year. Rita is their chief executive. Tecoa Pace and Pauline Hand serve as Wesley and Westminster presidents respectively.

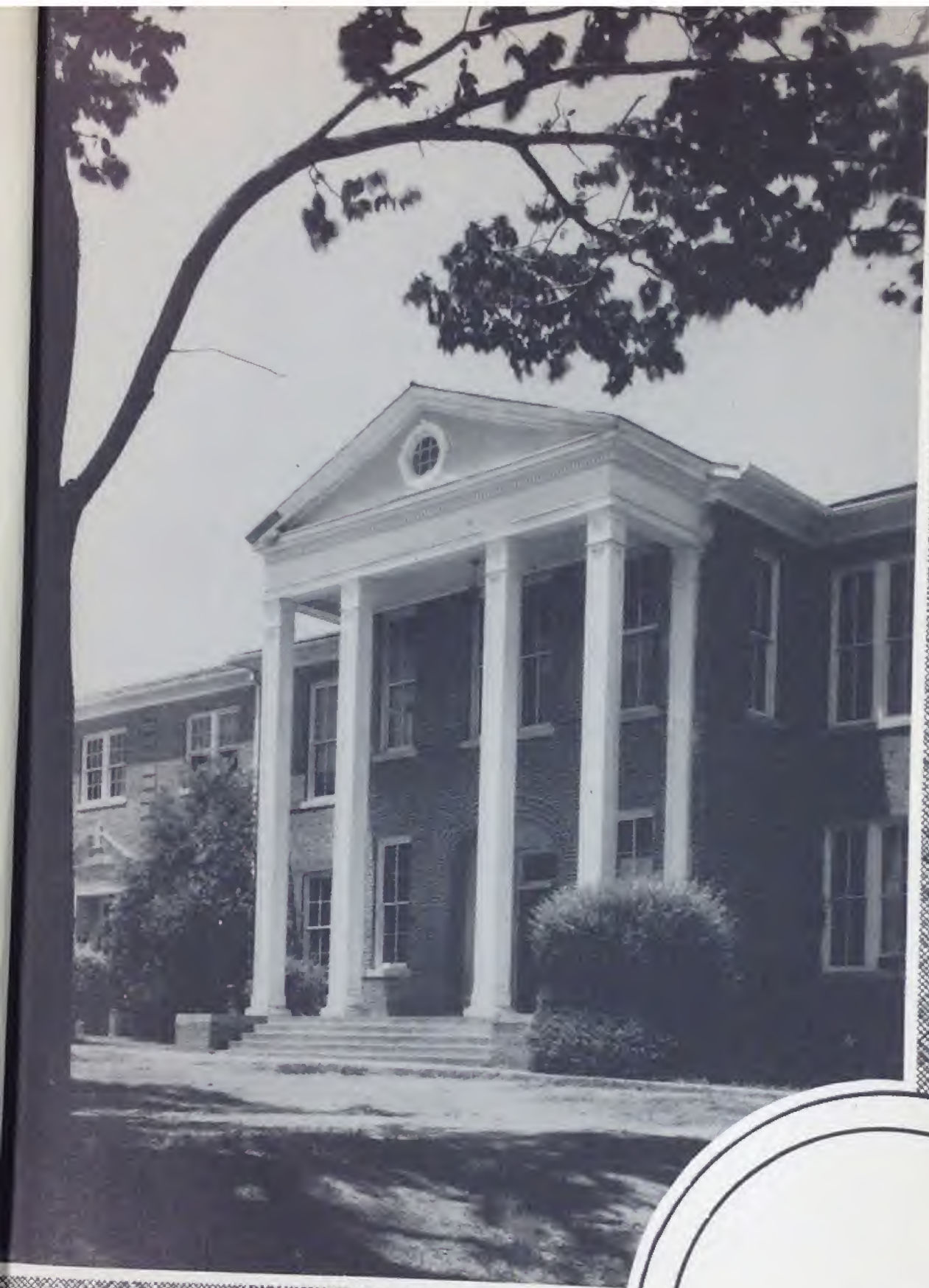
Our GROWL Staff was host to the Mississippi Junior College Press Association Conference on the 10th which was both interesting and instructional.

At Vespers, Wesley has sponsored inspirational "This I Believe" series, with a person of each denomination telling the beliefs of his church. The students who gave the talk for their church were Dot Parish, Wally Sherwood, Pauline Hand, Gaylia Stonestreet, Humberto Callejas and I.

Well, Aunt Mabel has rung the bell. I'll write again later.

Love,

Elizabeth



*The
School*



BOYS' DORMITORY



GIRLS' DORMITORY



CAFETERIA



AGRICULTURE BUILDING



BOYS' DORMITORY



GYMNASIUM





HOME ECONOMICS BUILDING



BAND HALL



Holmes Junior College
Goodman, Mississippi

October 30, 1952

Dear Gene,

You've probably decided by now to pay more attention to me the next time I warn you about volunteering for anything. I admit that the new ruling on cutting classes is too strict; but man, to join the Army is a drastic way of getting revenge. Besides, all we have to do is get our parents to write us an excuse when we're absent. I've got four or five signed excuses with me just now, waiting for an opportunity.

This place is really coming up. The Student Center, for instance, is the best thing that could happen to the HJC students. When it is opened, it will offer a dance floor; a game room with ping pong tables, checkers and cards; a snack bar and a kitchen for preparing short orders; a post office, and various business offices.

Remember the work we put on the Home Economics Building last summer? The new addition will be finished soon. It contains six unit-kitchens, floor and wall cabinets, sinks and supplies.

We missed you at the Homecoming Game. Boy, you should have seen it! We beat the socks off Itawamba 39-0. I think our Football Royalty was an inspiration to the team. Dot Parish reigned as queen, with Mary D. Robertson as freshman maid, and Kathleen Arrington as high school maid. And you should have seen the half-time performance put on by the band and majorettes! It was really something.

Mrs. Montague, our librarian, attended the Mississippi Library Association meeting on October 3. She should be given a medal for her efforts in keeping up with library developments.

By the way, you owe me five dollars if that bet we made about the political feelings of HJC still stands. The student body has just voted in favor of Eisenhower, which should show you who the thinkers are.

Hurry up and win the war before I get drafted, because I'm not as eager to leave this place as you were.

Your pal,

Billy Ray

Summer
1952



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We, the students of Holmes Junior College, take this opportunity to pay tribute to the faith and courage of our president, who, despite great handicap, has performed so well this year the duties of his office. We are grateful and happy with him that he can see again.



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Holmes Junior College
Goodman, Mississippi

November 30, 1952

Dear Bobby,

I sure wish you could have come to HJC again this year. Things were slow, but the place is really lively now. There was quite a bit of campaigning before the election of the Student Body Officers. Sam Massey is the new head of the group, with Ray Braswell as vice-president; Tecoah Pace, secretary-treasurer; and Wally Sherwood, reporter. They got to work at once revising the old constitution with the help of a committee approved by the student body. Sam was also chosen for the Hall of Fame this month.

Some of the Baptists went to the State BSU Convention in Jackson on the first week-end in November. They received much spiritual inspiration from the short week-end. Ray Braswell gave his testimony in their Sunday morning worship service. That night back at HJC Joe Chapman dedicated his life to Christ.

The next week-end Tecoah Pace and Tom Bruce, accompanied by Miss Maude Montague and Rev. R. B. Winters, represented our Wesley Foundation at a seminar at Millsaps. There were students from all of the colleges and junior colleges in the state.

Our football team won its second game of the year with a 21-20 victory over Northwest. The game was close and hard fought, but our team finally convinced Senatobia that ours was the better team. However, the next week at Co-Lin we were defeated 33-7.

It has been raining here for the last week, so work on the Student Center has been slowed down. It is expected to be finished soon, and we will have much more recreation. And speaking of recreation: red wasps raided our English room and have been there the last three days. Miss Jessie has a lot of trouble trying to make her students keep their eyes on their books.

Well, I'd better get to work on my French now, or I'll have trouble with Mrs. Branch again tomorrow.

Your pal,

Pete

December 10, 1952

Hi ya Willy,

Only a few more days until Christmas. The boys have been doing a little celebrating by shooting fire-crackers in the dorm. One went off outside my door last night and it sounded like an atomic bomb.

Our basketball teams have been doing fine in pre-holiday play. Why not come up and see some of them soon?

The dorms are getting ready of X-mas now. They have set up trees and done quite a bit of decorating around the place. We are having a big formal shindig on the 16th. The Student Council has elected the Student Activities Committee, so they won't have to decorate for it.

We get out on the 19th, so I'll see you then.

Your side-kick,

Charles Wilkinson



CLASSES

SOPHOMORE CLASS



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JUNIOR AUSTIN

CAVE-IN-ROCK, ILLINOIS

Mississippi Junior College Basketball Champions 52; Basketball 53; Typical Freshman 52; Wittiest 53; H Club 53.

Beaming with life and chuck full of fun.

GENEVA BALLARD

ROCHESTER, MICHIGAN

Basketball 52, 53; Best Athlete 53; All-State Forward 52, H Club 52, 53.

*She thinks 'twould be an awful sin
To wear her face without a grin.*



JOSEPHINE BARRANCO

DURANT

Choir 52, 53; Growl Staff 52; Majorette 53.

Sweeter nuts do not grow.

BILLY BICE

BESSEMER, ALABAMA

Mississippi Junior College Basketball Champions 52; Football 52, 53; Best Athlete 53; H Club 52, 53.

*Full of laughter, full of fun,
Full of life, a happy one.*



DOLLIE BILLS

RULEVILLE

Cheerleader 52, 53; Octette 52, 53; Choir 52; Reporter 53; BSU Council 52, 53; Home Ec. Club 52, Vice President Home Ec. Club 53; Student Activities Committee 52; Y Reporter 53; Student Body Assembly Committee 53; H Club 52, 53.

*Work is work and must be done,
Yet as I work, I have my fun.*



SUE BINGHAM STEELE, MISSOURI

Horizons Staff 52, 53; Growl Staff 52, 53; Choir 52, 53; Friendliest 53; Typical Freshman 52; Y Cabinet 53; Sophomore Class Reporter 53.

*She has a way all her own,
And we find it very pleasing.*



ROBERT BLAIR

BREWTON, ALABAMA

Football 52, 53; H Club 53.

The glory of young men is their strength.

GEORGE BOBO

GOODMAN

Business Manager Horizons 53; Horizons Staff 52; Choir 52, 53; Band 52, 53; Westminster Fellowship Council 53.

High erected thoughts seated in a heart of courtesy.



GENEVA BOOTH

KOSCIUSKO

She is an all-round good sport in every way.

ELLIS BOSWELL

KOSCIUSKO

Band 52, 53; Choir 52, 53; Octette 52, 53.

Excels in getting the most out of life.



ANNE BRANCH

GOODMAN

Feminine as a subtle perfume.

Hall of Fame 53; Most Intellectual 53; Editor Groul 53, Groul Staff 52; President Home Ec Club 53, Secretary-Treasurer Home Ec Club 52; Secretary-Treasurer Y 53; BSU Reporter 52; Student Body Publicity Committee 53.

PATTY BURTON

STEELE, MISSOURI

In school calm and quiet; on the basketball court a riot.

Best Athlete 52; Basketball 52, 53; All-State Forward 52; H Club 52, 53.



J. C. CAMPBELL

CARROLLTON

A good-natured boy who is liked by all.

LAWRENCE CAMPBELL

CANTO

*He smiles when he wins,
He smiles when he loses.*

*A Boy who does just what he pleases.
(When Sylvia says so.)*

MAXIE CAMPBELL

KOSCIUSKO

*Life is just and all
things show it;
I thought so once and now
I know it.*

Band 52, 13; Football 53; H Club 53.



T. O. CARPENTER

CARTERSVILLE

*Not a word spake he more
than was needed.*

Football 52.

ELIZABETH CARTRETT

BENTON

Precious things come in small packages.

Assistant Editor Horizons 53; Groul Staff 53; Secretary-Tary-Treasurer Wesley Foundation 53; Student Body Activities Committee 53; Choir 52, 53; Y Cabinet 53.

CLINTON CLARKE

CARROLLTON

Quietness doesn't keep one from being a good fellow.



JACK COCHRAN

KOSCIUSKO

He doeth well, who doeth his best.

Band 52, 53; Choir 52, 53; Octette 52, 53; Westminster Fellowship Council 53.

BILLY DANIEL

MAUD, ALABAMA

No storm ever ruffled the current of his life

Mississippi Junior College Basketball Champions 52, Basketball 53; H Club 52, 53.



Lonnie Daugherty

Marmaduke, Arkansas

Mississippi Junior College Basketball Champions 52; Basketball 53; Y Cabinet 53; H Club 53.

A friend anyone would be proud to have.

Millard Davis

Cave-in-Rock, Illinois

Mississippi Junior College Basketball Champions 52; All-State Honorable Mention 52; Basketball 53; Baseball 52, 53; H Club 52, 53.

In spite of all the learned have said, I still my own opinion keep.



Norris Dickard

Coxburg

Choir 52, 53; Driver of the "Pup" 52, 53.

Never a worry, never a care.

Bobby Dickerson

Pickens

A mind at peace with all the world.



Frank Drake

Durant

Football 50, 53; H Club 53.

He says little but thinks much.



Shirley Durham

Durant

Basketball 52, 53; Grown Staff 53; Horizons Staff 53.

Let me live in the house by the side of the road and be a friend to man.



Joe Edwards

Houston

I too am a good pattern.

Elaine Ellard

Durant

Choir 52, 53; Octette 52, 53.

*The devil hath not in all his quiver's choice,
An arrow for the heart like a lovely voice.*



Dorothy Ferrell

Eden

Little said may mean much gained.

Carlton Foster

Kosciusko

Life is what you make it.

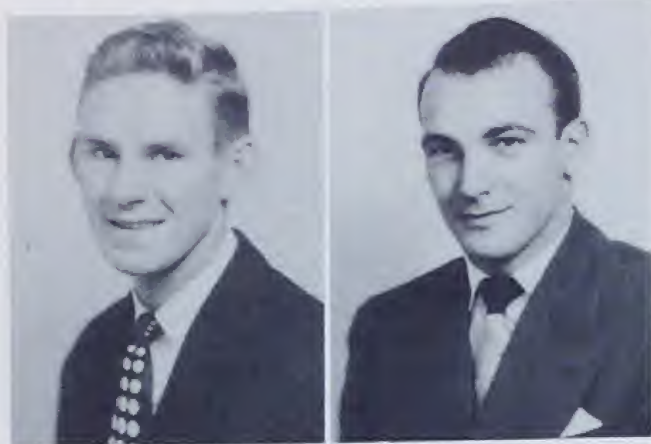


Football 52, 53; Choir 52, 53; H Club 53.
A dependable and pleasant young man, to be trusted to act from honest motives.

TRAVIS FOUCHE

BENTON

President Choir 53; Business Manager Choir 52; Octette 52, 53; Band 53; Wesley Foundation Council 53; Student Body Activities Committee 53.
A charming voice, a good sport, and not afraid of work.



BILLY FULTON

FLORENCE

Choir 52, 53; Football 52, 53; Basketball 52.
He does his best to make life bright.

WALTER POPE GASTON

PICKENS

I am not in the race of common men.

MELVIN GIBSON BISMARCK, MO.

Mississippi Junior College Basketball Champions 53; All-State Guard 52; Basketball 53; H Club 52, 53.

*Never a hurry, never a care;
 Always good humored, sure to get there.*



GEORGE GILCHRIST

CRAWFORDSVILLE, ARKANSAS

Football 52, 53; H Club 53.

He's an all-round good sport in every way.

RICHARD GILLAN BALDWINVILLE, NEW YORK

Football 52, 53; Mississippi Novice Middle-Weight Golden Gloves Champion 53; H Club 53 Co-Captain Football Team 53.

A likable boy who has truest, worthiest characteristics.

PAULINE HAND

GOODMAN

President Westminster Fellowship 53; Girls' Ensemble 52; Choir 52; Accompanist for Choir and Glee Club 53; Band 52, 53; Secretary Band 53.

A talented musician and a loyal friend, she gives her best to every cause that she upholds.



HENRY HARDY

He preferred to be good, rather than to seem so.

GENE HARMON

Why worry? Things are going to happen anyway.

SHARON

KOSCIUSKO



LONNIE HOOD

Y Cabinet 53.

The mildest mannered with the bravest mind.

BETTY HUDSON

Y Cabinet 53; BSU Council 53.

The secret to success is constancy of purpose.

ACKERMAN

DOSSVILLE



ANNE HUGHES

Growl Staff 53; Y Cabinet 53.

Unsurpassed for sweetness and understanding.

SALLIS

RAY JENKINS

SALLIS

Football 52, 53; Business Manager Choir 53; Choir 52; H Club 53.

When beauty fires the blood, How love exalts the mind!



ALICE LEWIS

BENTON

Choir 52, 53; Home Economics Club 52, 53; Westminster Fellowship Council 53; Majorette 53.

Sigh no more, boys, she's married.



EDDIE LEWIS

DURANT

Vice President Freshman Class 52; Vice President Sophomore Class 53; Choir 52, 53; Octette 52, 53; Football 52, 53; Westminster Fellowship Council 53; H Club 52, 53.

One of the best that we know.



HARRY LOTT

HOLCOMB

Noah was six hundred years old before he knew how to build an ark; don't lose your grip.

RITA McDOWELL

ACKERMAN

Hall of Fame 53; President YWCA 53; President BSU 53; Choir 52.

She mounts the ladder round by round, doing all things well.



BOBBY McEACHERN

Growl Staff 52, 53; Westminster Fellowship Council 53.
A fine worker, renowned for his earnestness.

VAIDEN

BILLY MCGAUGH

When study interferes with a good time, cut out study.

ACKERMAN



SAMUEL MASSEY

MORTON
Hall of Fame 53; President Student Body 53; President YMCA 53;
Treasurer BSU 53; President Freshman Class 52; Most Intellectual 52.
The heart to conceive, the understanding to direct, and the hand to execute.

GAYLE MOORE

KOSCIUSKO
Basketball 53.
The way to have a friend is to be one.



ANNE MOORMAN

WATER VALLEY
Basketball 52, 53; Home Economics Club 52, 53.
*She's never still a minute;
Where there's fun she's in it.*

FAYE NAIL

TOMNOBLE
Basketball 52, 53; Home Economics Club 52, 53.
To know her is to love her.

CHARLOTTE OWEN KOSCIUSKO
Home Economics Club 52, 53.

*She has proved herself loyal, courteous,
and true.*



TECOAH PACE

CALDWELL
President Wesley Foundation 53;
ley Foundation Council 52; Most
satile 53; Choir 52, 53; Vice Pr
YWCA 53; Secretary-Treasurer S
Body 53; Horizons Staff 53; H
52, 53; Basketball 52, 53.
*Hang sorrow; Care'll kill a cat.
Let's be merry.*

DOROTHY PARISH

FRENCH CAMP

Hall of Fame 53; Football Queen 53; Most Popular 53;
Vice President BSU 53; Y Cabinet 53; Growl Staff 53;
Student Body Council 53.

Hier calm gentle sweetness sets her apart from all.

BOYETTE PARKINSON

DURANT

Football 52, 53; H Club 52, 53; Most Popular 52; Co-
Captain Football Team 53.

Active natures are rarely melancholy.



HELEN PEPPER

BENTON

Choir 52, 53; Home Economics Club 52; Secretary-Treasurer Westminster
Fellowship 53.

Forever greets one with a smile and a word of cheer.

TERRY PICKETT

HICKMAN, KENTUCKY

Baseball 52.

He appears carefree and easy going.



CAROLYN PIERCE

Y Cabinet 53; Home Economics Club 52, 53; Secretary BSU 53; Horizons Staff 53.

A heart of gold, a character of noble qualities.

ROBIN PIERCE

Baseball 52; Basketball 52, 53.

Happy am I; from care I am free. Why aren't they all content like me?

VAIDEN

HICKMAN, KENTUCKY



CADMON PORTER

Mr. HJC 53; President Sophomore Class 53; Hall of Fame 53; Vice President YMCA 53; Football 52, 53; H Club 52, 53.

A finer boy is hard to find.

BILLY BLACK POWER

Inclined toward fun and frolic, a very likable fellow.

SALLIS

ACKERMAN



VAIDEN

Football 52, 53; Choir 52, 53; H Club 53.

*Love, love, love is like a dizziness,
Won't let a poor boy go about his business.*

CHARLES REITH

PINCKNEYVILLE, ILLINOIS

Mississippi Junior College Basketball Champions 52; Most Popular 53; Cheerleader 53; Student Activities Committee 52; Basketball 53; H Club 52, 53.

Bright as a silver dollar, and worth a million of them in his own estimation.



JAMES ROBERTSON

WINONA

Drum Major 52, 53; Student Activities Committee 52.

A huntsman, if bull-shooting is counted.

RICHARD ROSS

CRYSTAL SPRINGS

President Band 53.

For man is man and master of his fate.



DONALD RUSSELL

LAFAYETTE SPRINGS

Mississippi Junior College Basketball Champions 52; Basketball 53; H Club 53.

Give to the world the best that you have and the best will come back to you.

JOHN SCOTT

HICKORY FLAT

Basketball 52, 53.





WALLACE SHERWOOD

Hall of Fame 53; Vice President Mississippi Junior College Press Association 53; Most Versatile 52, 53; *Horizons* Staff 52, 53; *Grawl* Staff 52, 53; Freshman Class Reporter 52; Secretary-Treasurer YMCA 53; Wesley Foundation Council 52, 53; Secretary-Treasurer Student Body 52; Reporter Student Body 53; Student Body Publicity Committee 53; Football Mascot 52, 53.

Careful, considerate, and loved because of talents and disposition.

ROBERT SHUTE

Football Manager 52, 53; H Club 53.

Better to be happy than wise.

GRENADA

CRUGER



ERNEST SMITH

Basketball 52, 53.

Naive mischief and fineness of fiber.

HOWARD SNYDER

Student Body Council 53; Football 53; H Club 53.

Gentle in manner, but firm in reality.

MYRTLE

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Bas

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EDWARD SPENCER

LEXINGTON

Choir 52, 53; Octette 53.

A good-natured fellow, a trustworthy friend.



GAYLIA STONESTREET

DUTCH

Wittiest 53; Majorette 53; Y G 53; Octette 52, 53; Choir 52, 53; Secretary-Treasurer Choir 53; Student Activities Committee 53.

Smiling and serving, through life goes.

MAR

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ness.

BILLY TATE

WEST

Baseball 52.

It's nice to be natural, when you're naturally nice.

RAMON TATE

LEXINGTON

Choir 53.

A real man is he whose goodness is a part of himself.



ALTON TAYLOR

McADAMS

Baseball 52, 53; H Club 53.

Once a friend, always a friend.

JAMES STRICKLIN

YAZOO CITY

A talented and dependable young man.



PEGGY THACH

Choir 53.

Being natural naturally pleases.

RULEVILLE



JANIE THORNTON

WEST

Miss HJC 53; Editor *Horizons* 53; Secretary-Treasurer Sophomore Class 53; Student Body Council 53; BSU Council 53; Y Cabinet 53; Majorette 53; Octette 52; Choir 52, 53.

A good earnest worker, and also most bright; A person who will always do just what is right.



CLARA TOLLESON

KOSCIUSKO

Reporter Home Economics Club 52, 53.

Her traits of character are the best; Dutiful, modesty, and naturalness.

CHARLES TWITTY

PONTOTOC

Basketball 52.

If effort brings success, fame is mine.



MARY RUTH VICKERY

GRENADA

would that the world knew my greatness.

OTTO PAUL VON KANEL

LEXA, ARKANSAS

Football 52, 53; Groul Staff 53.

Better to be small and shine than to be large and cast a shadow.



MRS. COY H. WATKINS

LEXINGTON

Most Intellectual 52.

Serene, unassuming, and capable.

WAYMAN WATKINS

CANTON

A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance.

FRESHMAN CLASS



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NEW HOME ECONOMICS LABORATORY
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Holmes Junior College

Goodman, Mississippi

January 30, 1953

Dear Bill,

You should gripe about my not writing. Ever since I got back on the 5th, I've been going at breakneck speed.

We had semester exams on the 14th, 15th and 16th. I guess you know what that means. By the time I had finished them, I hardly cared whether I'd passed or not--it was such a relief to get through.

Things have really been in a whirl. When we got back, the new student center had opened, and it took quite a while for the newness to wear off. It is certainly nice. The Jaycees in Durant gave us a TV set for it, and everyone, both students and instructors, enjoy tuning and watching it.

After one day of vacation (which was really set aside for registration and classification) the second semester began. We are now trying to get acquainted with the newcomers. Two of the fourteen are Walter Owen and Willard Brockway, who were here in 1950.

Man, consider yourself lucky! This place looks as if Cupid were working overtime. Bubber Lewis and Alice Fouche got married during the holidays, and Dot Parish, Rubye Smith, and Chuck Reith came back engaged.

If you night-owls at home were here now, you'd be having a field day. There are parties planned for weeks ahead: the football banquet; the BSU Sweetheart Banquet; the Mardi Gras Ball; and numerous other small occasions.

The Mardi Gras Ball is really going to be a big affair. Each organization is choosing a favorite boy and girl to run for king and queen. We shall vote by putting money into the boxes which will have the favorites' names on them. The boy and girl with the most money in their boxes will be the 1953 Mardi Gras King and Queen. The next highest will be recognized as Duke and Duchess. There will be a floor show, and our school orchestra will give its initial performance. Why don't you guys come up to it? It's to be on February 12.

I'll be looking forward to seeing you then.

Sincerely,

Hause



CHEERLEADERS

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Chuck Reith

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Bobby Lishman

HIGH SCHOOL

Sylvia Claire Schrock
Dennis Anderson

ATHLETICS

ATHLETICS IN REVIEW

The athletic teams of Holmes Junior College have again been a source of pride to the students, faculty and coaches because of their fine sportsmanship and accomplishment.

The baseball team of 1952 under the able direction of Coach Oliver Poole had a splendid season, winning seven games on a nine game schedule. Zack Gray, a promising young pitcher, turned in some fine performances on the mound.

Neither our football team nor the coaches can be judged this year by the number of games won and lost. Regulations imposed by the Mississippi Junior College Association have had a strangling effect on the athletic program as a whole at Holmes. The coaches and the boys worked hard, but they could not overcome teams from schools with unlimited material of superior weight and experience. The boys faced every game with determination and spirit and played creditably.

Coach Gordon Carr, serving his first year as basketball coach at Holmes, led his girls through a very successful season, winning seventeen of the twenty-four games played. In addition to coaching the girls, he did an excellent job in helping to coach the boys. Holmes Junior College is indeed fortunate in having a young man of Coach Carr's caliber and ability, and we feel that his work this year is an example of the fine coaching that he will do in the future.

Coach Frank Branch's boys' basketball team had a good season, winning twenty games and losing seven, including tournament play. They went to the finals in both the North Mississippi Junior College Tournament and in the Mississippi Junior College Tournament, being defeated by Decatur in both.

As this is Coach Branch's last year of coaching at H. J. C., we think it timely to pay tribute to him and his coaching record here. Versatile in ability, he has coached all the major sports at varying times since he has been connected with the college. During the three years that he was head football coach, his teams lost only five of the twenty-nine games played, being co-champions one year. That year his team participated in the Laurel Lions Bowl Game, the first junior college bowl game in the United States. The next year his team played in the initial Toy and Doll Bowl Game in Hattiesburg, winning by one touchdown. In the last eight years his boys' basketball teams have ranked among the upper four in conference play. Four of these years Holmes has played in the finals in state tournament, winning state championship last year. The boys have not lost a conference game in the new gymnasium. His girls' teams have followed a similar pattern, ranking among the top teams in the circuit each year. Whatever success Mr. Branch has achieved as a coach he attributes to the fine young men and women who have played on his squads.

It is an outstanding record, Coach Frank. Thank you for your diligence and loyalty. Good luck to you in your new work!

FOOTBALL



COACHES

Mr. Oliver L. Poole, Mr. Van L. Stewart, and Mr. Gordon L. Carr.

SQUAD

First row: Robert Shute, Manager, Jerry Elkins, Paul Von Kanel, Pete Chambless, Harvey Foster, George Gilchrist, Murray Lindsay, Manager.

Second row: Thomas Phil Terry, Bobby Reed, John Bowen, James Oliver, Joe DePrinzio, Eddie Lewis, Pascale Burnley, Billy Shepherd, Ray Jenkins, Joe Chapman and John Robert Cain.

Third row: Coach Poole, Luther Lamb, Ernest Ingold, Joe Frank Wilson, Howard Snyder, Frank Drake, Boyette, Parkinson, Robert Weathersby, Dick Gillan and Robert Alexander.

Fourth row: James Moore, George Watson, Terry Collins, Dale Randle, Jack Blair, Maxie Campbell, Billy A. Taylor, James McGivney, Billy Bice and Gerald Vaughn.

GAME SCORES

Holmes.....13	Pearl River46
Holmes..... 7	Perkinston12
Holmes..... 0	Sunflower 6
Holmes..... 7	East Central27
Holmes..... 6	Ellisville39
Holmes.....39	Itawamba 0
Holmes..... 6	Southwest33
Holmes..... 7	Hinds26
Holmes.....21	Northwest20
Holmes..... 7	Copiah-Lincoln33



LETTERMEN

BOYETTE PARKINSON, *Captain*

Guard

A sophomore, "Moledigger," was chosen captain by his teammates because of his aggressiveness, team spirit and determination. Our next year's team will surely miss him.

DICK GILLAN, *Co-Captain*

Guard

Dick, a sophomore with leadership ability, much aggressiveness, and a great sense of sportsmanship, was one of the standouts on the Bulldog team. He will be greatly missed next season.

HARVEY Foster

Fullback

Harvey is a sophomore whose speed and power made him feared by all opponents. His spirit and fine team play will be missed the coming year.

CADMON PORTER

End

Cadmon was a great sophomore end, was popular with his teammates, and a steady hall player. He was injured near the end of the season, but still turned in fine performances.

BILLY BICE

End

Bice is another sophomore who will be missed next year. His work as a wingman was outstanding, and his speed made him a constant threat to opponents.

GEORGE GILCHRIST

Left Halfback

One of the most versatile men in the Holmes backfield, George was also one of the best running backs in the state. He will be a hard man to replace next year.

ROBERT DOSSETT (no picture)

Tackle

Robert is another tackle who suffered from injuries, but his work was outstanding and we expect a great year from him next year.

PETE CHAMBLESS

Quarterback

Steady of head and hand, strong of heart, and with an unbreakable spirit, this freshman led our team. We are expecting much from him

ROBERT ALEXANDER

Tackle

Robert was a strong and aggressive freshman who was a menace to all opponents. He is consistent, and know that he will play some good ball next year.

PAUL VON KANEL

Right Halfback

Although out a lot because of injuries much of the season, "Little Red" became one of our best running backs. His good attitude and ability will be missed next year.

RAY JENKINS

Guard

Ray was one of the fastest and most aggressive guards on the team. He was a fine team man. His place will be hard to fill.

DALE RANDLE (No picture)

Tackle

A sophomore, Dale was one of Holmes' better linemen, although he was plagued by injuries toward the end of the season. His spirit and attitude were of the best on the team.



LETTERMEN

JACK BLAIR

Tackle

Blair is a sophomore tackle who was short on weight, but more than made up for it by his spirit and determination. We shall miss him this coming year.

FRANK DRAKE

End

A calm, steady, and dependable ballplayer, Frank was one of our best defensive ends. He was a sophomore who would carry his share of the load any time.

GEORGE WATSON

Tackle

George turned in some excellent performances in spite of the fact that he stayed injured part of the time. His loss will hurt the Bulldogs the coming year.

GERALD VAUGHN

Center

After returning from the Marine Corps, Gerald turned in an excellent season as linebacker. We are looking forward to a great season from him next year.

JOE DE PRINZIO

Fullback

Joe was a high school boy who showed that he could run and tackle with the best on the team. We are expecting great things from him next year.

HOWARD SNYDER

End

Although Howard was injured for quite a bit of the season, he proved to be one of our best ends. He should be a great asset the coming year.

THOMAS PHIL TERRY

Center

Thomas Phil turned in some fine games. He was a steady and smooth ballplayer. We're expecting great things of him next year.

BUBBER LEWIS

Right Halfback

A second year man, Bubber was fast and one of our best broken field runners.

ROBERT SHUTE

Manager

Robert has done a fine job as manager. He was efficient and capable in every way and will be missed next year.

MAXIE CAMPBELL

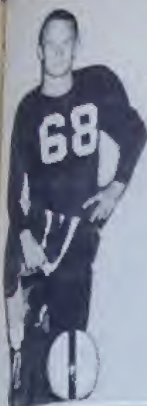
End

"E Red" was one of the best defensive tackles on the team. Well liked by all he will be missed next year.

BILLY TAYLOR

Center

"Tarzan" was a big and efficient center and a moral booster for the team. He is now in the service and will be missed next year.





BOYS' BASKETBALL

SQUAD

Standing: Coach Frank Branch, Zack Gray, Junior Austin, James Free, Robin Pierce, Earl Miles, Willard Brockway, Thomas Bruce, Donald Russell, Charles Reith, Millard Davis, Billy Ray, Coach Gordon Carr.

Kneeling: John Scott, Gayle Moore, Billy Daniel, Melvin Gibson, Lonnie Daugherty, Charles Wilkinson, Fred Caffey, Donald Porter, Manager.

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GAME SCORES

Holmes.....66	Northeast.....62	Holmes.....77	Southwest.....71
Holmes.....62	Itawamba.....50	Holmes.....78	Sunflower.....68
Holmes.....74	Co-Lin.....54	Holmes.....66	East Central.....65
Holmes.....78	Southwest.....62	Holmes.....75	East Miss.....52
Holmes.....83	Northwest.....53	Holmes.....73	Hinds.....77
Holmes.....48	Perkinston.....51	Holmes.....74	Perkinston.....66
Holmes.....69	Jones.....62	Holmes.....65	Jones.....57
Holmes.....73	Hinds.....65	Holmes.....51	Sunflower.....46
Holmes.....44	Itawamba.....37	Holmes.....66	East Miss.....75
Holmes.....90	Northeast.....64	Holmes.....56	East Central.....73
Holmes.....80	Co-Lin.....88	Holmes.....70	Northwest.....63

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Holmes.....65	Sunflower.....51
Holmes.....87	East Miss.....51
Holmes.....68	East Central.....80

STATE JUNIOR COLLEGE TOURNAMENT

Holmes.....80	Copiah-Lincoln.....77	Overtime
Finals Holmes.....65	East Central.....75	

Points scored by Holmes during season—1883
Points scored by opponents during season—1695

LETTERMEN

MILLARD DAVIS

Center and forward, ALL-STATE

Playing his last year for Holmes, Millard was one of the outstanding men in the conference. A competitor of rare caliber, he was consistently "on" during every ball game. We will surely miss him, for he will be hard to replace.

MELVIN GIBSON

Guard, ALL-STATE

"Gip" was spectacular with his jump shot and speed. He could always be depended on to score. There'll never be another "Gip," but we surely could use one.

JAMES FREE

Center, ALL-STATE Hon. Mention

"Red" was a valuable man, both on offense and defense. His height made him good on the rebound. He never gave up until the last whistle blew.

BILLY DANIEL

Guard, ALL-STATE Hon. Mention

"Pop" with his smooth playing was a mainstay on our team. He remained cool, calm and collected even during the toughest games. We hate to lose you, "Pop."

CHARLES REITH

Forward

"Chuck" played some good ball this year. He was one of the best defensive men on the team.

JUNIOR AUSTIN

Forward and Guard

Junior developed into a splendid ball player this year. His spirit and hustle was a great help to our winning ball club. We are sorry he won't be playing next year.

DONALD RUSSELL

Forward

Donald's consistency was an important factor in winning some of our ball games. He was good on rebounds and his alertness made him one of our better forwards.

LONNIE DAUGHERTY

Guard

Lonnie came through and played some good ball for the maroon and white. He was fast and an excellent ball handler. We will miss you, "Arkansas."

WILLARD BROCKWAY

Forward

"Brock's" aggressiveness and determination made him one of the more reliable members of the team. Though he started late in the season, he was one of our top forwards.

ZACK GRAY

Center

Zack developed more than any other man on the club. At times he played excellent ball. He should make an outstanding man next year.





GIRLS' BASKETBALL

SQUAD

Standing: Coach Gordon Carr, Margie Hancock, Faye Simpson, Ann Moorman, Joycelle Hancock, Geneva Ballard, LaNelle Marling, Tecoah Pace, Vivian Arnold, Rubye Lee Smith, Faye Nail.
Kneeling: Pattye Burton, Hilda Vickers.

GAME SCORES

Holmes.....34	Northeast38	Holmes.....39	Southwest44
Holmes.....36	Itawamba44	Holmes.....33	Sunflower31
Holmes.....34	Co-Lin23	Holmes.....43	East Central34
Holmes.....40	Southwest28	Holmes.....31	East Miss.36
Holmes.....27	Northwest21	Holmes.....45	Hinds36
Holmes.....34	Perkinston19	Holmes.....41	Perkinston27
Holmes.....30	Jones31	Holmes.....40	Jones25
Holmes.....46	Hinds19	Holmes.....42	Sunflower35
Holmes.....28	Itawamba26	Holmes.....47	East Miss.61
Holmes.....41	Northeast47	Holmes.....40	East Central27
Holmes.....38	Co-Lin33	Holmes.....28	Northwest27

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Holmes.....41	Sunflower25
Holmes.....31	Itawamba38

Points scored by Holmes during season—889
Points scored by opponents during season—775

LETTERMEN

TECOAH PACE

Guard, ALL-STATE

"Jr." has lived up to all the expectations of last year. She controlled the backboard with skill and determination and was a threat to any forward. We shall miss you greatly, Tecoah.

PATTYE BURTON

Forward, ALL-STATE Hon. Mention

Although Pattye joined us late in the season, she quickly became one of our best players. With speed and accuracy, she often led our team to victory.

GENEVA BALLARD

Forward, ALL-STATE Hon. Mention

Geneva's height was a great advantage, and her hook shot with either hand puzzled many a guard. Her place will be hard to fill.

MARGIE HANCOCK

Guard

Margie did some fine playing for us this year. Her rugged determination often spurred the team to victory. We shall expect even better things of her next year.

HILDA VICKERS

Guard and Forward

"Vicky" was equally effective as guard and forward. Her speed and ball handling ability made her hard to guard, and also made her a hazard to any forward. She will wear the Maroon and White next year.

VIVIAN ARNOLD

Forward

Vivian, the midget member of our team, developed into one of our best forwards. Her size along with her speed made her very hard to guard.

RUBY LEE SMITH

Guard

A freshman, Ruby Lee has played good ball at guard. She was fast and fine at intercepting passes. We are expecting fine things of her next year.

JOYCELLE HANCOCK

Guard

Joycelle's spirit and teamwork were an asset to our team. She played smoothly and knew how to handle the ball. We are expecting her to be outstanding next year.

ANN MOORMAN

Forward

Ann's height was an advantage in playing the spot. This is her last year to wear the maroon and white.

DONALD PORTER

Manager

"Porter" was manager for both the college basketball teams. Thank you, Porter, for your help at all times.

FAYE NAIL

Guard

Faye's determination and team spirit were very valuable to the team. She could always be depended upon to do her best.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL



SQUAD

First row: Humberto Callejas, Donald Caldwell, J. P. Pilgrim.

Standing: Span Robertson, Dick Mansker, John Paul Jones, Freddie Joe Taylor, Earl Dickerson, and Coach Van Stewart.

GAME SCORES

Holmes.....20	Farmhaven.....36	Holmes.....23	West.....28
Holmes.....20	Camden.....19	Holmes.....42	Durant.....43
Holmes.....42	Farmhaven.....35	Holmes.....48	Pisgah.....46
Holmes.....44	West.....36	Holmes.....65	Lexington.....48
Holmes.....60	Camden.....38	Holmes.....51	Durant.....40
Holmes.....43	McAdams.....37	Holmes.....45	Tchula.....39
Holmes.....48	West.....38	Holmes.....31	Durant.....30
Holmes.....53	Durant.....42	Holmes.....41	West.....33
Holmes.....53	Lexington.....40	Holmes.....42	Lexington.....45
Holmes.....64	Coxburg.....14	Holmes.....36	Madden.....46

Our boys won Invitational Tournament at West, and lost in the finals of the Sub-District Tournament at Vaiden. We are very proud of the record they and Coach Stewart have made this year.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL



SQUAD

Standing: Carol Mabry, Reva Dattel, Ann Burrell, Jo Ann Ray, Miss Dorothy Thomas, Coach.

First row: Margaret Cleghorn, Nancy Thweatt, Dorothy Hiatt, Maggie McCrory, Ruthie Jean Branch.

Since the high school girls have only about fifteen minutes each day to practice basketball, we want to congratulate them on their season's play. We hope with them that next year they will have more time allotted to them and that they will have a better season.

H CLUB

Robert Alexander	Football 53
Junior Austin	Basketball 53
Dennis Anderson	Cheerleader 42, 53
Vivian Arnold	Basketball 53
Geneva Ballard	Basketball 52, 53
David Berry	Football 53
Billy Bice	Football 52, 53, Basketball 52
	Baseball 52
	Cheerleader 52, 53
Dollie Bills	Football 53
Jack Blair	Baseball 50, Basketball 50, 53
Willard Brockway	Basketball 52, 53
Pattye Burton	Football 53
Maxie Campbell	Football 53
Pete Chambless	Basketball 52, 53
Billy Daniel	Basketball 53
Lonnie Daugherty	Baseball 52, Basketball 52, 53
Millard Davis	Football 53
Joe DePrinzie	Football 53
Frank Drake	Football 53
Robert Dossett	Baseball 50, Basketball 52, 53
James Free	Football 53
Harvey Foster	Basketball 52, 53
Melvin Gibson	Football 53
George Gilchrist	Football 52, 53
Dick Gillan	Baseball 52, Basketball 53
Zack Gray	Basketball 53
Joycelle Hancock	Basketball 53
Margie Hancock	Football 53
Ray Jenkins	Football 52, 53
Eddie Lewis	Cheerleader 53
Bobby Lishman	Cheerleader 53
La Nelle Marling	Basketball 52, 53
Tecoah Pace	Football 52, 53
Boyette Parkinson	Baseball 53
Terry Pickett	Football 52, 53
Cadmon Porter	Basketball Manager 53
Donald Porter	Football 53
Dale Randle	Cheerleader 53, Basketball 52, 53
Charles Reith	Basketball 52, 53
Donald Russell	Cheerleader 53
Sylvia Schrock	Football Manager 53
Robert Shute	Baseball 53
Ernest Smith	Basketball 53
Ruby Lee Smith	Football 53
Howard Snyder	Baseball 53
Billy Tate	Baseball 53
Alton Taylor	Football 52, 53
Billy A. Taylor	Football 53
Phil Terry	Football 53
Gerald Vaughn	Football 53
Hilda Vickers	Basketball 53
Paul Von Kanel	Football 53
George Watson	Football 52, 53

AUTOGRAPHS



Holmes Junior College
Goodman, Mississippi

February 11, 1953

Dear Mom and Pop,

Boy! Is the social season in full swing here at school! There is so much going on that one can't quite make the rounds. The Beta Club held a goodie walk not long ago and the annual Sweetheart Banquet of the BSU was held last Saturday evening.

And speaking of good times, I sure had a wonderful time at the banquet. My date, Dot Parish, was lovely as a Valentine in her formal, and man alive! Was the food delicious! To touch things off they played romantic music throughout the whole affair. There was a nice crowd, too, around sixty-five.

Two of the more popular students here at school, Lonnie Daugherty and Eleanor Cost, were chosen to reign as the 1953 BSU royalty by the Baptist on the campus. They sure did make a cute and sweet couple.

But by far, the highlight of the social season will be the second annual Mardi Gras Costume Ball tomorrow night. With the polls closing tomorrow afternoon, everyone is trying to make their prediction as to whom the 1953 King and Queen will be.

A grand total of forty people are taking part in the pageantry and floor show. Intermission activities will include the reigning royalty, the Parade of Favorites, the royal floor show, and--most important of all--the 1953 coronation. All the usual court personnel will be present: jesters, pages, crownbearers, and trainbearers.

Got to close now and study my business law because it is already eight o'clock. Will see you this weekend.

All my love,

Wally



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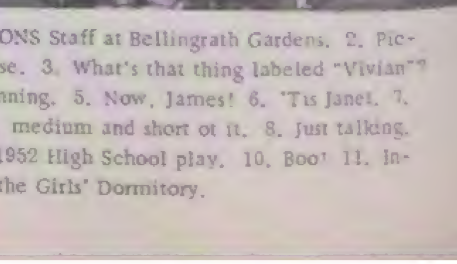
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3. Betty. 4. No comment.
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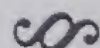
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1. "Moledigger" -- in person! 2. At the wedding. 3. What a gal! 4. MR. and MRS. Baptist--Special. 6. Hmmm, sweet! 7. Typical Frosh? 8. Bathing beauties. 9. "Steadies" 10. Familiar twosome. 11. Just friends. 12. Cheesecake! 13. Sporty

